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proceedings.

SEC. 14. The Supreme Court shall have power to make any amendments in any case pending before it, by making the parties thereto which said court may deem necessary and proper for the purposes of justice, and upon such terms as said court shall prescribe; and also whenever it shall appear to them necessary for the purposes of justice to allow and direct the taking of further testimony in any case in equity which may be removed to the said court for trial, under such rules and restrictions as the said court may in its discretion prescribe.

Clerk to
transmit to
courts below,
certificates
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SEC. 15. The clerk of the said court shall immediately after the rise of each term thereof, transmit to the clerks of the Superior Courts of law and Courts of Equity, certificates of the decisions of the Supreme Court in cases sent from said courts, and thereupon the said clerks respectively shall issue execution for the costs incurred in said cases in the courts from which the same was sent; and the clerk of the Supreme Court shall issue execution for the costs incurred in said court, including all publications in newspapers made in the progress of the cause in that court and by order of the same, and all postage of letters which concern the transfer of original papers.

Judges shall
appoint a Re-
porter.

SEC. 16. The Judges of the Supreme Court shall annually appoint a reporter of the decisions thereof, whose duty it shall be, within five months after the close of each term, to prepare the decisions of said court for the press, and shall contract with some printer to print one hundred and one copies at the expense of the State, which copies shall be distributed as follows, viz: to the Secretary of the Governor one copy, to retain one copy himself, which copies shall remain in their respective offices, and six copies to be deposited in the public library, and the said reporter shall deliver sixty-five copies of said reports, to be deposited, one in the office of the clerk of the Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions of each county in this State, and twenty-eight copies by him to be deposited in the Executive office of the State, to be transmitted by the Governor to the Executive department of each of the States and Territories, at the expense of the State; and said reporter shall receive, as a compensation for his services, a salary of three hundred dollars, and shall be authorised, on his own account and at his own expense, to print, publish, and vend, and to obtain under this grant, and in conformity with the act of Congress the copy-